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Reproduction of original photo of Formosa Azalea blossom—  
The highlight of the Garden during Blossoming Season.

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# AZALEAS & LIVE OAK TREES

Of all ornamental plants, none deserve more attention **THAN AZALEAS**, which are without a doubt the most beautiful flowering shrubs we have **IN THE SOUTH**. They are perfectly hardy, and by planting in masses a pleasing effect is secured.

We have done considerable experimenting, at a cost of **SEVERAL THOUSAND DOLLARS**, with the **DIFFERENT VARIETIES** of Azaleas, and have practically discontinued growing **ANY VARIETY EXCEPT** the **AZALEA INDICA FORMOSA**. We have given special attention **TO GROWING THIS VARIETY** and offer an **IMPROVED TYPE**, much superior to those **OFFERED AS THIS** variety by other Nurseries. Our type has **NO SUPERIOR**.

## VALUABLE FOR LANDSCAPING

Today no landscape planting in the **coastal region**, whether for the small cottage, large estate, park, or public building, is complete without **AZALEAS**—a **single specimen**, group or mass, nothing **adds more color** to the landscape at their blooming period, or without flowers, they are a most attractive, low-growing **evergreen broadleaf shrub**.



No Greater Mass of Color Than Where Azaleas Are Used

### FORMOSA

#### Azalea indica formosana

Evergreen Shrub. Ter. 1 and 2. 12 ft. spread. Medium size, dark green foliage. **Large flowers of rosy color** borne in masses **which cover the entire bush** in early spring. Will grow in the common soil of the garden, but prefer **leaf-mold, peat, or well-rotted mulch and manure** worked into the natural soil. The most satisfactory variety for **outdoor culture** in the Gulf Coast.

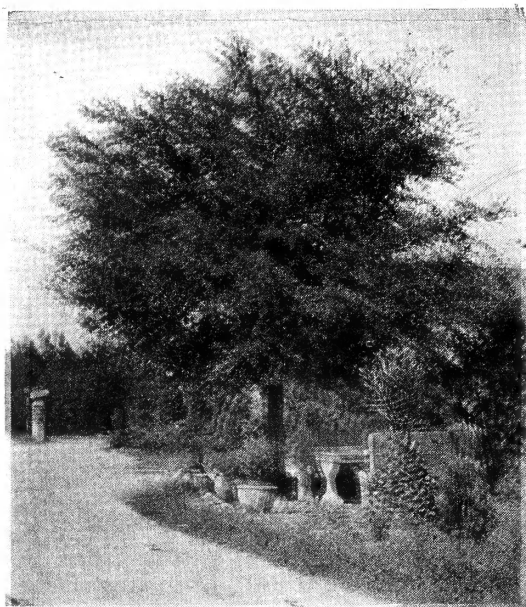
We are listing here our own type of the **Formosa**, which from experience, we have found to do better in the Gulf Coast Territory. We recommend this **particular type** above all others.

### PRICES FOR FIELD GROWN FORMOSA AZALEAS

Approx. Spread	Class	XX	XXX
12 inch Spread	BGB	\$ 1.25	\$ 1.75 each
15 inch Spread	BGB	1.75	2.25 each
18 inch Spread	BGB	2.25	3.25 each
24 inch Spread	BGB	3.75	5.25 each
30 inch Spread	BGB	5.25	6.50 each
3 feet Spread	BGB	6.50	8.00 each
3½ feet Spread	BGB	9.00	12.00 each
4 feet Spread	BGB	12.00	16.00 each

LARGER SPECIMENS quoted upon request.

### LIVE OAKS—For The Southwest.



Live Oak Two Years After Moving.

When orders are filled for Live Oak Trees from our Nurseries, we always recommend that the pruning be left to our judgment and in this way we prune each tree according to the amount and manner it should be for developing a decided straight trunk and horizontal branching, leaving no forks.

The advantage of the proper training of trees in this manner, was noticed by the Landscape Architects and Engineers who made up plans and supervised plantings of Trees in Parks, along Streets and Highways; and now it is one of their requirements of all trees which are supplied.



Azaleas for Foundation Planting.

## HOW TO CULTIVATE AZALEAS

**CULTURAL DIRECTIONS:** The soil should contain an abundance of leaf-mold, peat, and sand, and should be well-drained. Azaleas **will not grow in limestone soil**.

Mulching with decayed leaves, preferably those of hardwood trees, is a distinct advantage. Peat is also a splendid mulch for Azalea beds, as it retains the moisture. Applications of **aluminum sulphate** may be necessary when leaves become yellow, which indicates that the **soil has become impregnated with lime**.

The **AZALEA INDICA FORMOSA** is the variety found planted **so extensively** in the **noted Azalea Gardens** in the Southeastern States and in more **recent years**, the prominent Gardens of Southeast Texas. They produce a mass of flowers at **their blooming period**, the flowers lasting **two or three weeks**. The color is a vivid, **Rose**, the individual **flowers** resembling orchids, but when borne in large clusters as they are, much more showy.

## EVERGREEN SHADE TREES FOR YEAR 'ROUND EFFECT.



These Trees were properly pruned—Notice how the top banches have developed by the second year.

Since the first planting of the **fast growing** type of Live Oak Trees (*Quercus Virginiana*) was made from our Nurseries, it has been difficult to keep a good supply of **uniform Trees** in sufficient quantity to fill all demands. However, our plantings have been increased from year to year, and this Season we can offer a rather complete size and quantity in those listed below, all Nursery Grown, well shaped, and root-pruned. **ALL DUG BALLED & BURLAPPED (BGB), PRUNED FOR PLANTING.**

Diam. of Tree 6" Above the Ground	Height of Tree	XX Standard Quality	XXX Specimen Quality
1¼ inch Caliper	9 ft. high	\$ 3.20	\$ 4.20 each
1½ inch Caliper	10 ft. high	4.20	5.80 each
1¾ inch Caliper	12 ft. high	7.80	9.80 each
2 inch Caliper	13 ft. high	9.80	13.00 each
2½ inch Caliper	14 ft. high	13.50	17.60 each
3 inch Caliper	16 ft. high	18.00	23.50 each
NOTE—ALL Trees above 3 inch Caliper must be loaded with a Derrick truck, therefore ask for delivery charge according to distance and quantities ordered.			
3½ inch Caliper	18 ft. high	21.00	24.50 each
4 inch Caliper	20 ft. high	24.50	29.00 each
4½ inch Caliper	22 ft. high	29.00	34.00 each
5 inch Caliper	24 ft. high	34.00	39.00 each

NOTE—X's above prices indicate Quality Grading. X Good Grade; XXX Better Spread and Caliper.

# BERRIED SHRUBS FOR THE GARDEN!

## PLANT BERRY-BEARING TREES AND SHRUBBERY

The lasting qualities of Woody Trees and Shrubbery are one of the most important features which is considered when Trees and Shrubs are selected for the Landscape planting. What selection could be more suitable than the Trees and Shrubs that bear masses of Berries during the Fall, Winter and Spring Seasons?

These same Shrubs flower beautifully during the Spring Season with masses of white blossoms, surpassing all flowering shrubs that grow out of proportion and shed their leaves, etc. and form their clusters of small berries and eventually color up with the arrival of the Fall season, and highlight the Garden planting throughout the Fall and Winter with their masses of RED, YELLOW, and ORANGE Berries.

### PLACE OF BERRIED SHRUBS IN THE LANDSCAPE

There are numerous locations in the Landscape Planting where Berry-bearing Shrubs have an important location, but perhaps the most used include the following:

- First—For Shrubbery Borders;
- Second—For Hedges, Trimmed and informal;
- Third—For Specimens in the Lawn;
- Fourth—For Naturalistic groups in Wooded areas;
- Fifth—For Formal Sheared Accents in the Formal Garden.

In Shrubbery Borders, the Berry-bearing Shrubs are most effective when grouped together for their Berries in masses show up more colorful with Evergreen Shrubbery background. This gives an opportunity to group the Berried Shrubs and Non-Berried together for cross-pollenization and in turn develop more Berries.

### YAUPON HOLLY—KING OF PLANTS

Of all Shrubs for the Southwest, the Yaupon Holly fills the need at all places—Trees, Borders, Specimens, Hedges trimmed into all shapes and sizes. It likes nearly all kinds of soil, grows fast, clean, and does not require much shearing for hedges, Specimens, etc.

### HOW TO MAKE HOLLIES BERRY?

NOTICE—Both Pistillate (Berry-bearing or Female) and STAMINATE (Non-Berry-Bearing or Male) Types are listed. The pistillate types will bear berries only when properly Cross-pollenized by the Staminate type. There should be one Staminate for every five pistillate.



Cluster of Yaupon Berries with Evergreen Foliage attract attention

### AVAILABLE SIZES FOR PLANTING NOW

In our choice lot of Nursery Stock for sale at the present time, we can offer the following selection of Yaupon Hollies.

#### YAUPON HOLLY—Ilex Vomitoria (NATURAL GROWTH) Berried Plants or Pistillate

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
3 ft. high	BGB	\$ 2.50	\$ 3.00 each
4 ft. high	BGB	3.00	3.75 each
5 ft. high	BGB	3.75	4.50 each
6 ft. high	BGB	4.50	5.50 each
7 ft. high	BGB	5.50	8.00 each
8 ft. high	BGB	8.00	12.00 each
9 ft. high	BGB	12.00	16.00 each
10 ft. high	BGB	16.00	20.00 each

#### YAUPON HOLLY—Ilex Vomitoria (NATURAL GROWTH) Non-Berried Plants or Staminate

These plants in smaller sizes are too small to have borne berries, or are true non-berried type. This type usually preferred for Hedge plantings, whether clipped or in natural form.

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
12 in. high	BGB	\$ 0.50	\$ 0.70 each
15 in. high	BGB	.60	.85 each
18 in. high	BGB	.75	1.10 each
24 in. high	BGB	.90	1.25 each
30 in. high	BGB	1.10	1.40 each
3 ft. high	BGB	1.50	2.00 each
4 ft. high	BGB	2.00	2.75 each
5 ft. high	BGB	2.75	3.50 each
6 ft. high	BGB	3.50	4.50 each
7 ft. high	BGB	4.50	5.75 each
8 ft. high	BGB	5.75	7.50 each
10 ft. high	BGB	7.50	10.50 each
12 ft. high	BGB	10.50	16.50 each

NOTE—X's above prices indicate Quality Grading. XX Good Grade; XXX Better

### SUPERIORITY OF NURSERY GROWN YAUPON HOLLY

Compact Nursery-grown branches and root system makes cultivated Yaupon Holly far superior to collected plants, even tho these Shrubs are native in sections of Texas. We grow selected plants for Hedges, Sheared specimens for the Lawn, Naturalistic groups, etc.

### SHEARED YAUPON HEDGES AND SPECIMENS

Used as Hedges, perhaps the Yaupon Holly carries the most important place. In the Southwest territory it is far superior to the Boxwood, and has come to be equally as important in the development of the Southern Garden as the Boxwood has been for years in the Eastern states.

The Yaupon Holly sheared into Low compact forms develops a rich green hedge, which is most striking, of fine texture, and superior to any Shrub used in a similar location. Shrubs left in a Natural hedge where the Berries are prominent are equally as important in a Naturalistic Garden.

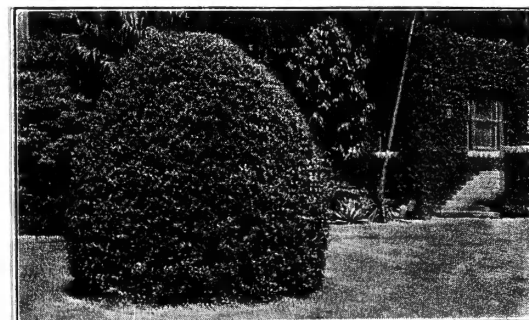


Three Year Sheared Yaupon Hedge. 12 inches high, 8 inches wide, in foreground.  
6 ft. American Holly Hedge in background of this Rose Garden.

### SHEARED GLOBE AND SQUARE YAUPON HOLLY

Approx. Ht. and Spread	Class	XX	XXX
24 in. by 15 in.	BGB	\$ 1.75	\$ 2.25 each
30 in. by 15 in.	BGB	2.25	3.00 each
36 in. by 18 in.	BGB	3.00	3.75 each
42 in. by 24 in.	BGB	3.75	4.75 each
4 ft. by 30 in.	BGB	4.75	5.75 each
5 ft. by 3 ft.	BGB	5.75	7.00 each
6 ft. by 3½ ft.	BGB	7.00	8.75 each
7 ft. by 4 ft.	BGB	8.75	12.50 each
8 ft. by 5 ft.	BGB	12.50	16.00 each

Sheared Globe Yaupon Holly.



### SHEARED YAUPON PYRAMIDS AND CONES

We have specimens of the Yaupon Holly sheared into Pyramid and Cone Shape plants in same sizes as on the Globes and Squares, at Twenty-five percent (25%) less prices for the same grades.

Nursery-grown, Yaupon Holly is undoubtedly the best of the native Shrubs. They can be kept sheared resembling the fine-leaved sheared Boxwood. Nursery-grown, root-pruned, and balled from our Beaumont balling soil, they are easy to transplant.

### NATURALISTIC GROUP PLANTINGS

For large Estates, which are heavily wooded and a Naturalistic setting exists for the Landscape, there is no finer selection for groups in the South than the use of informal groups of Evergreens—Berried-yaupon Holly, American Holly, Pyracantha and Elaeagnus. These seem to fit into the Naturalistic setting with all ease and effectiveness, and improve on the existing natural setting.

Spread and Caliper.



# OTHER CHOICE BERRIED SHRUBS

Formal Gardens as a Section of the Larger Landscape development is coming forward in the Gardens of the Southwest, and in this connection the Yaupon Holly plays a most important part. It is used as formal accents, as Globes, Pyramids, and Squares as well as for immediate effects in the Hedge.

In addition to the Formal garden arrangements, the demand is ever increasing for Specimen Berry-bearing Shrubs. We offer a choice selection of varieties most used for this purpose.



Extra Specimen American Holly

## AMERICAN HOLLY—Ilex Opaca

The American Holly likewise has a varied use in the better Landscape plans. It is more attractive with large, green Thorny leaves, enhanced by masses of red berries in the Winter Season. Excellent for Hedges, Screens, and Individual Specimens. Prices quoted are for Non-Berried plants.

**NOTICE—**For Berried Plants of the American Holly, add Twenty-five percent (25%) to above prices.

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
4 ft. high	BGB	\$ 1.25	\$ 1.75 each
5 ft. high	BGB	1.75	2.75 each
6 ft. high	BGB	2.50	3.75 each
8 ft. high	BGB	3.25	5.25 each
10 ft. high	BGB	5.25	7.00 each
12 ft. high	BGB	7.00	9.50 each
14 ft. high	BGB	9.50	13.00 each
16 ft. high	BGB	13.00	17.50 each
18 ft. high	BGB	17.50	26.50 each
20 ft. high	BGB	26.50	32.50 each

**SPECIMENS** of Select sizes sold by Caliper measurement, height and spread, priced at from two to four times List prices.

## DAHOON HOLLY—Ilex Cassine

A Pyramidal Evergreen with oblong dark green leaves and no spines. Bright red berries formed in early Fall and Winter. This variety makes an excellent Specimen for the lawn, or is fine for groups and borders.

**NOTICE—**For Pistillate (Non-Berried) Plants, deduct 25% from above prices.

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
5 ft. high	BGB	\$2.40	\$3.00 each
6 ft. high	BGB	3.00	3.75 each
7 ft. high	BGB	3.75	5.50 each
8 ft. high	BGB	4.90	7.25 each

## THORNY DAHOON HOLLY—Ilex Cassine

A highly improved variety of the Dahoon Holly with larger foliage and slightly spined leaves. Forms a compact Pyramidal growth with masses of bright red berries throughout the Winter Season.

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
5 ft. high	BGB	\$3.50	\$4.50 each
6 ft. high	BGB	4.50	6.00 each

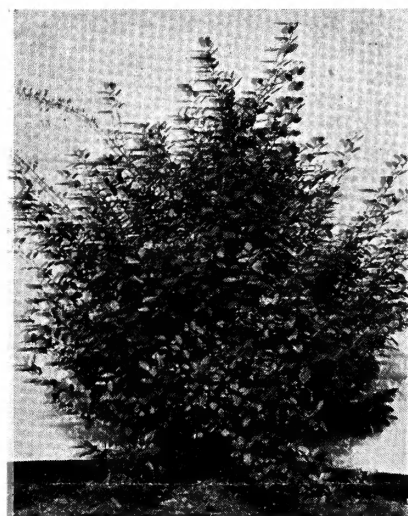
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## ELAEOAGNUS

### GRIFFING'S COMPACT ROSEDALE ELAEAGNUS SIMON ELAEAGNUS DWARF THORNY ELAEAGNUS

We offer four varieties of the Elaeagnus, all of which are excellent, but they vary in form of growth, size of foliage, and ultimate height or spread; however, they are all unexcelled for general Landscape planting.

They bear fragrant flowers in the Winter season, red edible fruit formed in the early Spring. It is one of the most widely used shrubs in the general Landscape planting. The foliage is bronze color, or gray-green with a speckled or dotted silvery-scale underneath, creating a color contrast which is most colorful. Grows well in Shade or Sun.



Specimen Elaeagnus

ALL ELAEAGNUS CUTTING GROWN PRICED AS FOLLOWS:

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
24 in. high	BGB	\$1.50	\$2.00 each
30 in. high	BGB	1.75	2.25 each
36 in. high	BGB	2.00	2.50 each
4 ft. high	BGB	2.50	3.50 each
5 ft. high	BGB	3.75	5.40 each
6 ft. high	BGB	5.25	7.50 each

## FIRETHORN—Pyracantha

### LALAND FIRETHORN—Pyracantha Lalandi

The Laland Firethorn is perhaps the most widely used of all varieties. It is hardy, an upright grower, with masses of Orange colored Berries throughout the Fall and Winter Seasons. A large Evergreen with color contrast makes it most desirable for the Landscape, being prominently used in masses, groups, and as hedges.

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
4 ft. high	BGB	\$1.50	\$2.50 each
5 ft. high	BGB	2.50	3.50 each
6 ft. high	BGB	3.50	4.50 each
7 ft. high	BGB	4.50	6.50 each
8 ft. high	BGB	6.00	7.50 each



The New Pyracantha  
"Wilma".

### WILMA FIRETHORN—Pyracantha Wilma

This New Firethorn, which we introduced about two years ago, has upset all records of sales for the Landscape. It is upright in habit of growth, bearing masses of white flowers in early Spring and clusters of large brilliant Red Berries during the Fall and Winter Season. Perhaps, the most talked of, and greatest in demand for all Landscape plantings. Excellent for borders, groups and as Specimens.

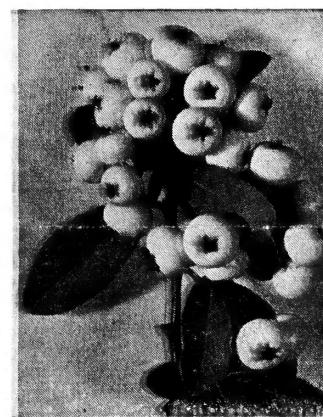
Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
3 ft. high	BGB	\$ 2.50	\$ 3.50 each
4 ft. high	BGB	3.50	4.50 each
5 ft. high	BGB	4.50	6.00 each
6 ft. high	BGB	6.00	7.50 each

### YUNNAN FIRETHORN—Pyracantha yunnanensis

This spreading type of Firethorn is excellent for masses and groups. It bears large clusters of Coral red berries during the Fall and Winter Seasons.

Approx. Ht.	Class	XX	XXX
3 ft. Staked Trained	BGB	\$1.65	\$2.25 each
4 ft. Staked Trained	BGB	2.10	3.00 each
5 ft. Staked Trained	BGB	2.50	3.50 each

Spread and Caliper.



Cluster of Berries from  
Wilma Firethorn





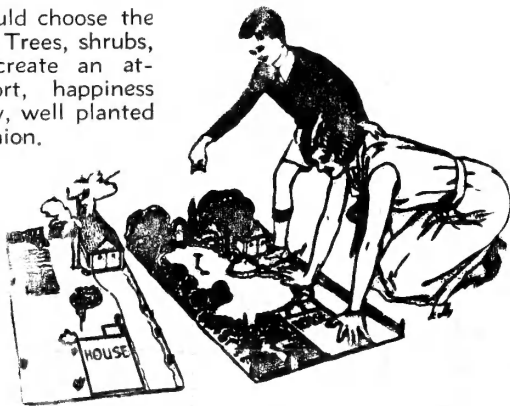
# PLANNING THE LANDSCAPE

If you want to get the greatest joy out of Gardening, learn how to lay out your Home Grounds, or rearrange the plantings about your Buildings or grounds to create a new setting. Learn how to design and plant your Home Grounds, for the highest degree of usefulness and everlasting Beauty. Plan ahead of planting, and when the planting is done it develops into a complete picture for a permanent effect.

## WHICH — would you choose?

Of course you would choose the well planted place! Trees, shrubs, flowers and vines create an atmosphere of comfort, happiness and prosperity. Today, well planted grounds are the fashion.

Make your grounds more beautiful. A new tree or two, or possibly a few shrubs, plants and vines will add new beauty and interest. Come to us for help and advice with your planting.

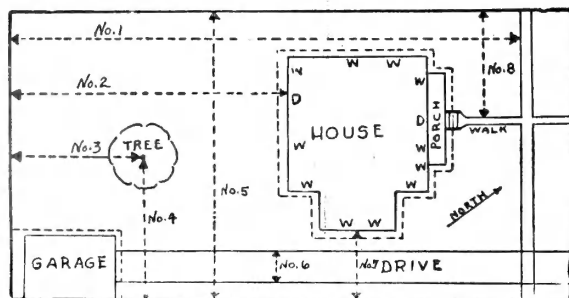


## AT YOUR SERVICE

To meet these VARYING CONDITIONS and insure success for our customers, all our men have ability IN THIS LINE, and in addition TO THEM, we are in DIRECT COMMUNICATION with all leading Landscape Architects, and can easily refer you TO SOME-ONE BEST QUALIFIED to handle your problems, regardless of WHERE YOU MAY LIVE.

## SMALL HOME GROUNDS

For the average city lot, if you will SEND US the information as indicated on the SKETCH BELOW, showing the size of the ground, location of drives, walks, permanent buildings, TREES already on THE PROPERTY, etc., it will enable us to furnish you with a DETAILED PLAN, together with an ITEMIZED LIST of the plants NEEDED, and an estimate OF THE COST of the plant material. All are mailed for YOUR APPROVAL.



## THE SERVICE COSTS NOTHING

When you send THE SKETCH, with the information needed, also send us \$10.00 for a lot not larger than 75 by 100 feet. As soon as YOUR ORDER FOR the material on the PLANTING LIST totals \$40.00 within ONE YEAR after the date of OUR ESTIMATE, the original \$10.00 payment will be placed TO YOUR CREDIT, or if a larger PLAN is DESIRED, 20% of the amount WILL BE CREDITED FOR the purchase of plants. The cost for larger grounds is SLIGHTLY MORE in proportion TO THE SIZE of the development, and will be AGREED UPON when a preliminary SURVEY IS MADE.

## WE WILL WORK WITH YOU

To develop a Landscape Design to fit your individual place and POCKETBOOK, embodying your OWN IDEAS and suggestions, you deal with ONLY ONE FIRM for the complete job, as we usually furnish the Plan, supply the PLANTS and OVERSEE the setting and entire work. Having our own Nurseries and the Nursery Stock, we recommend and SUPPLY YOU with such Trees AS we know will do well under CERTAIN soil and climatical conditions. When you buy from us you are dealing with a reliable firm, not with some jobber, who buys his plants here and there, sometimes using inferior Stock to complete a job.

## PLANT AS YOU ARE ABLE

It is not necessary to CARRY OUT THE complete Plan AT ONE TIME but before beginning, IN ALL CASES, there should BE A PLAN, the ultimate development of which is TO BE THE AIM of all work on THE PROPERTY.

## GET JOY OUT OF LANDSCAPE GARDENING

One of the greatest joys of Gardening is in the planting of something new and watching it from day to day as it unfolds new beauty. It is true that certain features of your garden are permanent. Your Shade Trees, for instance, provide background for the setting, and frame the picture of your Home. Other features of the Garden may be changed from year to year to create new interest and continue to be a source of joy to the planter.

## PERSONAL VISIT ADVISABLE

We particularly advise that one of our Landscape Architects make a personal visit to your property if you live in South Texas or South-western Louisiana. Although we are sure our plans handled through the mail will be satisfactory, it is only natural that better results can be obtained through a personal survey.

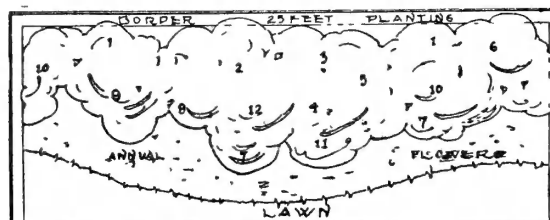
## MAKE YOUR GARDEN UP-TO-DATE

We also re-arrange old Grounds, giving them an artistic touch; remove or harmonize discordant features; remodel the deformed and make the commonplace beautiful.

No matter where you live the plants that we will recommend for your Garden will include only those which will thrive in your locality, and we try to make your garden up-to-date by including some of the newer and different ornamentals in your planting.

## ALL TYPES OF GARDENS

should be enclosed and all are increased in beauty if they have large shrubs and trees surrounding them to break the skyline. Care should be taken to place the trees so that they will not shade the entire garden, yet one or two shady spots will not be of disadvantage for they admit the use of many desirable shade loving plants.



Suggested Arrangement for Border Group.

The above illustrates proper arrangement for shrubs in a mixed Border Planting. Along back (Keys 1, 2, 3, and 6) use Tall Evergreens and Flowering Shrubs. In Center of Group (Keys 10, 9, 12, 4 and 5) use Medium Bushy Growing Evergreens, and Flowering Shrubs. In the foreground (Keys 7 and 11) use low Spreading Evergreens.

## MUNICIPAL AND PUBLIC PLANTING

We prepare topographical plans with gradelevels, for City Parks, Cemeteries, City Additions, Court House Grounds, and all large Landscape undertakings. We treat any property requiring artistic development, whether it be the modest city or suburban home, the largest country estate, summer hotel, country club, sanitarium, school, college, factory or avenue. The cost of surveys, plans, etc. is nominal, and scheduled in proportion to the size of the grounds of the proposed development. Your inquiries are solicited and each will receive our careful attention.

# CULTURAL SUGGESTIONS FOR GARDENING

## HOW TO PLANT B&B TREES

Dig a round hole a few inches wider than the ball and the same depth of the ball itself. For heavy or poorly drained land, set the Ball with its shoulders level or from one to two inches above the level of the land. For light, sandy soil, the ball should be about two inches below the level of the land. If the bottom of the hole is hard, and dry, fill with water once or twice and let it soak away.

Then, set the Ball in the hole. Do not use the loose dirt that is taken from the hole as backfill. Instead keep spading around until the ground is broken 12" deep two or four feet from the ball, according to the size of the ball, then press firmly toward the ball, using the feet or a heavy tamp.

**AFTER PLANTING PRECAUTIONS:** Next hill the dirt up around the Stem of the plant four to eight inches and as far out as the Ball itself. Then at the outer edge of the spaded Basin, build up a rim 6 inches high, to hold lots of water to soak down under the Ball. Leave the basin for the first season after planting for watering purposes.

## HOW TO WATER TREES AND SHRUBS

To water newly planted Trees and Shrubs, push the end of the hose down beside the ball and let Water run until the basin is full. This will fill all air spaces. Repeat every week if needed to keep soil moistened. Mulch with rough straw or lawn clippings mixed with stable manure.

## NEW FINANCING PLAN FOR LANDSCAPING

We have completed arrangements for F.H.A. financing on Landscape Plantings of \$100.00 or more; spent at one time. The Interest rates are 5½%, and you have a year or more to pay it out. This Plan enables even the Small Home Owner to completely Landscape their home grounds at one time. Let us help you complete your plans for this Service.

## CULTIVATION

All types of Plant Materials require systematic cultivation. After Trees and Shrubs have been planted and the Beds are put in good condition by working and fertilizing, we recommend that the Surface of the Beds be stirred to a depth of TWO or THREE inches unless a good mulch is maintained. Keep the hill around the trunk and the Rim or basin to hold water for the newly planted Trees and Shrubs for the first season.

## FERTILIZING SHRUBBERY

Do not use any fertilizer in the hole when planting except raw Bone meal. In most soils, renewed strength in the way of dairy manure for plant food should be applied at least once a year, usually during the Winter. The application of WELL-ROTTED and pulverized dairy manure will make the beds more pliable and allow for cultivation of same more rapidly and readily after much rainfall.

Commercial fertilizers are satisfactory to use in small quantities. In the Spring and early Summer, use fertilizers with a heavy Nitrogen content. In late Summer and Fall, use fertilizer with heavy potash content. Potash causes the buds and branches to harden, the trees will bloom or fruit better. They will also stand more cold without injury.

## TERMS AND DISCOUNTS

Prices in this List supercede and cancel all previous quotations. All prices f. o. b. Nursery.

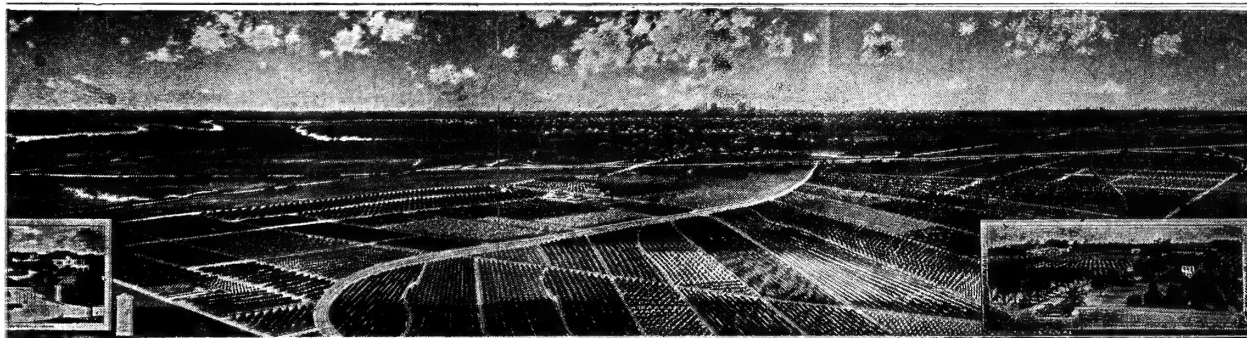
Cash with order, unless Credit has been established. 5% Discount for Cash with order (Not C. O. D.).

QUANTITY DISCOUNT—10% on Minimum Truckload order.  
15% on Minimum Carload order.

## A NURSERY WITH A BACKGROUND -- OVER HALF A CENTURY IN THE SOUTH GROWING TREES AND SHRUBS

Over fifty years have passed since the present Griffing Organizations had their first inception in a small nursery in Northern Florida on land owned by the late D. C. Griffing, and managed by his five sons under the name of "Griffing Brothers."

Always the Griffings grew the stock they sold, offered the best of everything, experimented in every locality to find the most adaptable varieties, dug their Trees with care, packed under rigid inspection, and in all their activities gathered and disseminated information for the benefit of their patrons.



Panorama View of Our 200 Acre Nursery

